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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE*In re* Application of Gozdz

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Entitled: ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL COMPRISING
LAMINATION OF ELECTRODE AND PAPER
SEPARATOR MEMBERS

Group Art Unit: 1742

Examiner: Donald R. Valentine

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

SIR:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for reply to the Office Action mailed July 30, 2004, for a period of two (2) months from October 30, 2004, to and including December 30, 2004. Please Charge deposit account number 501358, the required fee estimated in the amount of \$215.00 for a small entity. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above-numbered deposit account. A duplicate of this sheet is attached for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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